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In re application of

Jacques Dumas et al.

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For: INHIBITION OF p38 KINASE ACTIVITY USING ARYL AND HETEROARYL
SUBSTITUTED HETEROCYCLIC UREAS

Petition for Conversion to a Provisional Application

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

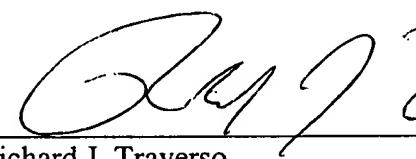
It is hereby requested that the above-identified application be converted to a
provisional application in accordance with 37 C.F.R 1.53(b)(2)(ii). Attached is the fee of
\$150.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(q).

Respectfully submitted,

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